

# P2655

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**Type of Project:** Modify Existing Approved PAR

**PAR Request Date:** 26-Jul-2018

**PAR Approval Date:** 27-Sep-2018

**PAR Expiration Date:** 31-Dec-2021

**Status:** Modification to a Previously Approved PAR

**Root PAR:** P2655 **Approved on:** 28-Sep-2017

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**1.1 Project Number:** P2655

**1.2 Type of Document:** Standard

**1.3 Life Cycle:** Full Use

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**2.1 Title:** Atmospheric Above Grade Inspection and Assessment of Corrosion on Steel Electrical Transmission, Distribution, and Substation Structures

**Changes in title:** Atmospheric Above Grade Inspection and Assessment of Corrosion on Steel Electrical Transmission, Distribution, and Substation Structures

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**3.1 Working Group:** Corrosion Working Group (NACE) (PE/T&D/TPC-Corrosion)

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None

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**3.2 Sponsoring Society and Committee:** IEEE Power and Energy Society/Transmission and Distribution (PE/T&D)

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**4.1 Type of Ballot:** Individual

**4.2 Expected Date of submission of draft to the IEEE-SA for Initial Sponsor Ballot:** 02/2018

**4.3 Projected Completion Date for Submittal to RevCom**

**Note: Usual minimum time between initial sponsor ballot and submission to Revcom is 6 months.: 10/2018**

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**5.1 Approximate number of people expected to be actively involved in the development of this project:** 50

**5.2 Scope:** This standard provides requirements to: (1) help utilities identify structures that may be high risk for above-grade corrosion; (2) inspect the selected structures; (3) categorize the condition of structures based on corrosion degradation; (4) prioritize structures requiring additional inspection based on those findings; and (5) help identify next steps as required.

**5.3 Is the completion of this standard dependent upon the completion of another standard:** No

**5.4 Purpose:** Purpose--The purpose of this standard is to provide procedures for the use of common inspection practices and technology on structures above grade. The standard includes:

- (a) assessment of historical data to categorize inspection priority;
- (b) above-grade inspection and assessment to categorize structures by level of condition;
- (c) site-specific environmental factors and atmospheric conditions;
- (d) evaluation of existing modifications and repairs.

**5.5 Need for the Project:** This document is needed to educate the industry on issues on utility structures associated with atmosphere corrosion.

**5.6 Stakeholders for the Standard:** Electric utilities, telecom owners/providers

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**Intellectual Property**

**6.1.a. Is the Sponsor aware of any copyright permissions needed for this project?:** No

**6.1.b. Is the Sponsor aware of possible registration activity related to this project?:** No

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**7.1 Are there other standards or projects with a similar scope?:** No

**7.2 Joint Development**

**Is it the intent to develop this document jointly with another organization?:** Yes

**Organization:** NACE - National Association of Corrosion Engineers International

**Technical Committee Name:** Atmospheric Inspection & Assessment

**Technical Committee Number:** TG529

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**8.1 Additional Explanatory Notes:** IEEE & NACE have agreed to jointly develop this document under the IEEE/NACE MOU. NACE previously started this document and has agreed to wait for IEEE before proceeding.